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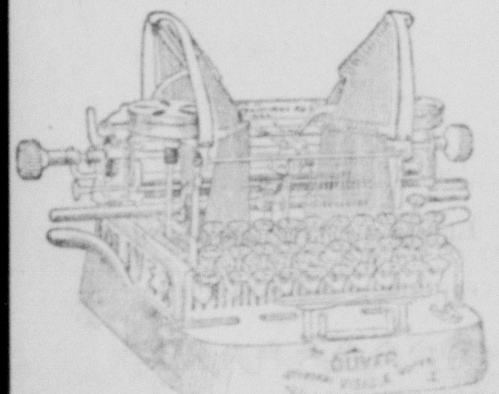
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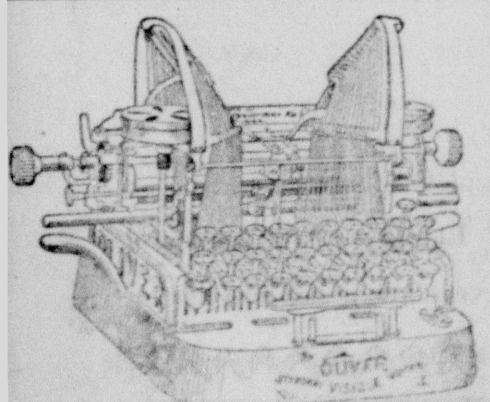
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As it is, twenty-seven victims of trichinae or ptomaine poisoning are in various stages of illness, and fatal results are feared in at least three cases.

Richard Olson, a boy living in South Minneapolis, was reported in a dangerous condition last night. Irving Lupton and Gilbert Waldron, two boys, and Miss Myrtle Johnson, are in St. Barnabas hospital.

The other victims are: Stanley Kilbourn, Alma Olson, Henry Olson, Franklin Grist, Herman Ross, William Newgard, Lawrence Lund, Harold McLeron, Norman Johnson, Carl Weltzel, Howard Towley, Paul Paulick, Lindsay Kelly, Harold Hecox, Archie Eddie, Deloss Brandon, Mrs. Thompson, Lural Ross, Mrs. Marshall, O. W. Erickson and A. R. Wiley.

Dr. Channing, an interne at St. Barnabas hospital, made an examination of some of the pork which was served at the breakfast and found unmistakable traces of trichinae.

### Partook Generously of Food.

The breakfast was served to the boys in the hall adjoining the church by members of the Ladies' guild. This was done because of the early Easter service at 6:30 at the church, which necessitated the boys' presence at an early hour. Some of them had come long distances and partook generously

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Norman Johnson was the first to be taken ill. He pitched forward in his place and was removed to a room in the rear of the church. He was soon followed by other boys, until out of forty-five members of the supplied choir only seven remained at the close of the service.

The boys were stricken at the regular morning service at 10:30 o'clock, about three hours after their breakfast in guild hall.

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Colorado Springs and Manitou average 340 sunny days in a year—that is, nearly 93 per cent of their daylight is bright sunshine. While they have twenty-five cloudy days, Chicago has 114, New York 103 and Asheville 106. And equally important is the fact that the shortest days of winter will afford eight hours of sunshine. Contrast this with the four and a half hours, the most you can hope to gain, in the celebrated valley of Davos, Switzerland. Salt Lake City averages 315 days bright and clear.—World Today.

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A man who would scorn to tell a lie anywhere else does not hesitate to do it at the poker table, which accounts for the big stories we hear now and then about losses or winnings. It is a common practice for habitual players in clubs to multiply the value of their chips by 100 so that their gains or losses are multiplied accordingly. The usual size of the club game is \$5 limit, all jack pots, with \$1 to come in. When a player throws in a white he says, "I'll bet a hundred." When it is red he says, "I'll bet you 200," and when a blue, "I'll bet you 500." The casual listener, hearing this talk, goes away convinced that the baby game is a million dollar limit.—New York Press.

How a Meaning Changes.

"Cheat" is a word that now has a very ugly sound. To cheat a man is to defraud him. Originally the word conveyed no such meaning. The old word "eschate" referred to the dues that fell to the crown. It came from the French echoir (Latin, excedere). The modern meaning that attaches to the word tells a sad tale of the extortion and greed that must have been practiced in collecting the dues.

Once Was Enough.

"Did you ever," said one preacher to another, "stand at the door after your sermon and listen to what people said about it as they passed out?"

Replied he:  
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Barred Out.

"Could you not, if you tried, grant me a place in that key heart of yours?"  
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He Alone Seeks Notoriety.

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Perhaps the one element of the climate of the Rocky mountain region that impresses the newcomer most deeply and also most pleasantly is that of the abundance of sunshine. In this particular, both in winter and in summer alike, this is not only the Italy of America: it outshines Italy and equals northern Egypt.

Colorado Springs and Manitou average 340 sunny days in a year—that is, nearly 93 per cent of their daylight is bright sunshine. While they have twenty-five cloudy days, Chicago has 114, New York 103 and Asheville 106. And equally important is the fact that the shortest days of winter will afford eight hours of sunshine. Contrast this with the four and a half hours, the most you can hope to gain, in the celebrated valley of Davos, Switzerland. Salt Lake City averages 315 days bright and clear—World Today.

## Lying at Poker.

A man who would scorn to tell a lie anywhere else does not hesitate to do it at the poker table, which accounts for the big stories we hear now and then about losses or winnings. It is a common practice for habitual players in clubs to multiply the value of their chips by 100 so that their gains or losses are multiplied accordingly. The usual size of the club game is \$5 limit, all jack pots, with \$1 to come in. When a player throws in a white he says, "I'll bet a hundred." When it is red he says, "I'll bet you 200," and when a blue, "I'll bet you 500." The casual listener, hearing this talk, goes away convinced that the baby game is a million dollar limit.—New York Press.

## How a Meaning Changes.

"Cheat" is a word that now has a very ugly sound. To cheat a man is to defraud him. Originally the word conveyed no such meaning. The old word "escheat" referred to the dues that fell to the crown. It came from the French echoir (Latin, excedere). The modern meaning that attaches to the word tells a sad tale of the extortion and greed that must have been practiced in collecting the dues.

## Once Was Enough.

"Did you ever," said one preacher to another, "stand at the door after your sermon and listen to what people said about it as they passed out?"

Replied he:

"I did once"—a pause and a sigh—"but I'll never do it again."

## Barred Out.

"Could you not, if you tried, grant me a place in that icy heart of yours?" "My heart may be of ice, as you say, Mr. Spohleigh, but, all the same, I am not in the cold storage business."

## He Alone Seeks Notoriety.

Jayson—It is strange, isn't it? Jayson—Er—what is strange? Jayson—Why, that the oldest inhabitant is always a man—never a woman.—Judge.

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See Nettleton for homes and loans. Largest line of trunks in the city at D. M. Clark & Co.

NOKAY SERIE RIPPLES.

Irving Reinhardt of Brainerd is visiting at the home of C. H. Clute.

Our teacher, Emma Willard, left for Brainerd today for a short stay.

Every one is very busy putting in logs at Louis Derosier's saw mill before the sleighing is completely gone.

An entertainment will be held at the school house in District 8 April 16. An extensive program is being prepared.

Great preparations are being made for the Telephone dance at Ft. Ripley April 8. A good time is assured all who attend.

C. H. Clute left today for Brainerd to bring home his son Ernest, who has been in the hospital for some time with the typhoid fever.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at John Schemp's March 30, the occasion being the birthday of Miss Mattie. The evening was spent in dancing.

W. A. Prentice returned from Brainerd Tuesday with a cow which he had purchased from his brother, C. A., who is preparing to remove to Washington.

A. L. Bratt, while returning from Brainerd, beheld two emigrant wagons buried in the snow near Crow Wing. After an hour and half's work, the wagons had not been moved twice their own length.

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STATEMENT OF THE EXPENSES

For the Past Three Years in the Administration of Affairs of St. Joseph's Hospital

WHAT GOOD SISTERS ARE DOING

There Have Been Seventy-nine Deaths in Three Years--Three Hundred Forty Operations

The Sisters of St. Benedict, who have charge of the administration of the affairs of St. Joseph's hospital in this city, have just prepared a very interesting statement and it may be of interest to their many friends to know the business standing during the past three years since the opening of the hospital. Cost of building and grounds, \$39,295.22.

Present debt is \$35,000, on which St. Joseph's pays \$1,750 interest annually. Balance due from patients, \$2,012.30. Patients admitted 1,314. Operations 340. Deaths 79. Amount collected: 1st year—\$1,816.00. 2nd year— 998.61. 3rd year— 871.94. \$3,686.61.

Rooms commodiously furnished by the following: Elks, Hibernians, Mr. D. M. Clark, Foresters, Kersts. Beautiful Altar donated by Rev. D. W. Lynch. The charges: In private rooms, \$20, \$17, \$15, \$12, \$10, according to accommodations. Double room \$10; ward \$8.

There has always been great inconvenience in moving very sick patients and the injured, and the lack of an ambulance was deeply felt. Now the hospital has a very fine ambulance to serve in moving patients to and from the depot and from the country, lumber camps, etc.

The Sisters take this occasion to thank their many benefactors and friends who have aided financially and otherwise, and without whose encouragement and assistance the record of St. Joseph's would not have been such a prosperous one. The debt on the hospital is still large, but with the continued support and assistance of friends, they hope to be able to reduce it somewhat each year.

Thanks are rendered to their kind friends for Thanksgiving and Christmas donations.

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RAY HORDE IS DEAD

Was Taken West With the Hope That Change of Climate Would Be Beneficial But Died En Route.

Word was received in the city Saturday evening from Pasadena, Cal., stating that Ray Horde died at that place, and it is supposed that he passed away en route.

About a week ago he left for the west accompanied by his brother, Guy Horde, and it was thought that perhaps the change of climate would be beneficial to him. He had been suffering for sometime with consumption and it is presumed from the telegram that he died at the railroad station at Pasadena.

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MUSIC AND DRAMA.

THE BURGLAR

In "The Burglar" which is the attraction at the Brainerd opera house to-night, there will be seen a play that appeals particularly to mothers and children, as well as the sterner sex. One of the principal scenes of this strong play arises out of the sudden appearance of a little tot before the astonished eyes of the burglar busy gathering his plunder to depart, and his senses almost staggered by the little one's exclamation, "Don't be afraid, Mr. Burglar, I won't hurt you," sends a flood of reminiscences coursing through his brain, brings back visions of childhood and happy youth before his first temptation. No play ever written is better calculated to stir up the emotions and moral teachings than Mr. Gus Thomas' celebrated play of "The Burglar." Prices, entire lower floor 75c, balcony 50c and gallery 25c.

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A DEAL IN ANTIQUES.

The Way a London Dealer Fooled an American Millionaire.

The ways of the dealer in antiques are too often as dark as those of the heathen Chinese in the poem, and it is very hard to get the best of a really wide-awake member of the trade. A certain dealer in London, having a number of alleged Chippendale chairs for sale, approached a well known nobleman and succeeded in selling the set for \$5,000 to the latter. Later on the purchaser, being informed that the chairs were "faked," wrote to the dealer and demanded his money back.

The wily dealer wrote back a hurt and offended letter to his patron, protesting that his honesty had been impugned, but to show his good faith he would be willing to pay 1,000 guineas to get the chairs back. So it was done, and within a very few hours the nobleman's receipt for that amount was being held under the nose of an American millionaire as proof that the chairs had been bought from that well known collector, Lord ——. Of course the dealer must have his profit, and the American millionaire finally handed over a check for \$12,500 and carried his bargain triumphantly across the Atlantic.—Kansas City Independent

DOG WATCHES.

Four Different Theories as to the Origin of the Term.

Four distinct explanations have been given of the origin of the term "dog watch." One, which commends itself as probable in the mouth of a sailor, is that it is really the "dodge" watches, two short watches from 4 to 6 and from 6 to 8, introduced so that the crews may get a continual change of hours of duty and each man have only his fair share in the small hours of the morning.

Others maintain that the dog watches take their title from the fact that they are short and fitful in character, so that the phrase is akin to a dog sleep.

Admiral Boys, in a lecture at the United Service Institution in London in 1889, remarked that he believed dog watches are so called because dogs are at times employed on shipboard, as in the army, for keeping watch as scouts or sentinels.

Others connect it with the Scandinavian dagmalastad, a day watch, corrupted into dog.

Theodore Hook wittily explained dog watches to be watches that are curtailed.—London Standard.

LIKE MAY NOT WED LIKE.

Eldest Sons Not Allowed to Marry Eldest Daughters in Japan.

According to old and established custom in Japan, the eldest child, whether male or female, must under all circumstances abide at and inherit the home. By this means a continuous succession is assured, and the estates cannot pass into the hands of strangers.

From this arrangement it follows of necessity that no eldest child can marry and live with an eldest child of the opposite sex. When an heiress weds, her husband must assume the family name.

A similar custom prevails in certain families among the people of the Basque provinces, in the north of Spain. An eldest son among them is not allowed to marry an eldest daughter if both are firstborn.

In this case, too, the husband of any eldest daughter takes up his residence under his wife's roof and adopts her name, which is thus transmitted to their children.

A Quaint Species of Crow.

In his subsection on "modifications" of types of birds and animals Sir John Lubbock cites what is newest and most marvelous. He tells us of a particular crow in New Zealand where the male and female differ widely as to the structure of their bills. The male bird has a bill, stout and strong, adapted to cutting and digging into the tree, but he is deficient in that horny pointed tongue which would permit him to pierce the grub and draw it out. The hen bird has, however, an elongated and straight bill, "and when the cock has dug down to the burrow the hen inserts her long bill and draws out the grub, which they divide between them—a very pretty illustration of the wife as a helpmate to the husband."

Position Well Filled.

Auntie (to little niece, aged seven, who has been left temporarily in charge of brother, aged three)—Well, Effie, dear, I hope you have been quite a mother to him while mammy's been away. Effie—Oh, yes, auntie, dear, I have. I've smacked him three times.—Punch.

Far Away.

The Brute—What are you thinking of, Mamie? Mamie—I am dreaming of my youth. The Brute—I thought you had a far-away look in your eyes.—Princeton Tiger.

A Guarded Admission.

"You would be glad enough to marry me if I had plenty of money," exclaimed the impetuous young man, preparing to go. "No," she said, with a dreamy sigh. "I should hate awfully to have to marry you, but if you had plenty of money I might."—Chicago Tribune.

Pedigree.

"Pedigree in a dog makes him valuable, doesn't it?" "Certainly." "Funny, isn't it?" "What's funny?" "Why, it's my experience that pedigree makes a man pretty darn worthless."—Chicago Post.

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Barney Lingnau was an eye witness to the affair in which Nick Hill, a desperate character, brutally assaulted Richard Sanger with a sharp edged ax a week ago yesterday. Mr. Lingnau came down yesterday from Cross Lake on business and he gives the first authentic report of the affair. He said that the men were all in the camp at the time. Hill, the assailant, was grinding his ax. A small boy who is employed about the camp to do chores, asked him for the ax. He wanted to go and cut some wood. Hill replied by slapping the boy in the face and Mr. Sanger objected and said, "You had better slap someone of your size." At this remark Hill called Sanger a hard name and said he was the boy who could make good any time he took up a fight. Sanger grabbed an old broom and made for Hill, whereupon the latter hurled the ax in the air and struck Sanger in the back, inflicting the wound which afterward proved fatal. The men in the camp were up in arms and started for a rope to lynch Hill, but none could be found. Better counsel prevailed, however, and they gagged and bound Hill and sent for a sheriff.

See Nettleton for homes and loans. tf

Largest line of trunks in the city at D. M. Clark & Co. tf

## NOKAY SERIE RIPPLES.

Irving Reinhardt of Brainerd is visiting at the home of C. H. Clute.

Our teacher, Emma Willard, left for Brainerd today for a short stay.

Every one is very busy putting in logs at Louis Derosier's saw mill before the sleighing is completely gone.

An entertainment will be held at the school house in District 8 April 16. An extensive program is being prepared.

Great preparations are being made for the Telephone dance at Ft. Ripley April 8. A good time is assured all who attend.

C. H. Clute left today for Brainerd to bring home his son Ernest, who has been in the hospital for some time with the typhoid fever.

A very enjoyable evening was spent at John Schemp's March 30, the occasion being the birthday of Miss Mattie. The evening was spent in dancing.

W. A. Prentice returned from Brainerd Tuesday with a cow which he had purchased from his brother, C. A., who is preparing to remove to Washington.

A. L. Bratt, while returning from Brainerd, beheld two emigrant wagons buried in the snow near Crow Wing. After an hour and half's work, the wagons had not been moved twice their own length.

## ONE WHO KNOWS.

D. M. Clark & Co. are agents for the Ostermoor mattress. Price \$15. tf

## SO DIFFERENT.

Lots of Claims Like This But so Different—Local Proof is What Brainerd People Want.

There are a great many of them. Every paper has its share. Statements hard to believe, harder to prove.

Statements from far-away place. What people say in Florida. Public expression from California. Oftentimes good indorsement there. But of little service here at home. Brainerd people want local proof. The sayings of neighbors, friends and citizens.

Home indorsement counts. It disarms the skeptic; is beyond dispute.

This is the backing that stands behind every box of Doan's Kidney Pills.

Here is a case of it: Mrs. S. Brain of 125 South 9th street says: "Doan's Kidney Pills cannot be spoken of in too high terms. I suffered greatly from my back, the symptoms showing unmistakably that the kidneys were at fault. The secretions from those organs were scanty and caused some pain the aching in my back was constant and exceedingly distressing. When my husband brought me Doan's Kidney Pills I was much in need of relief. I used them and a comparatively short time the pain had disappeared and the improvement in my condition was general. The kidneys were quickly restored to health and performed their functions naturally."

Sold for 50 cents, at H. P. Dunn & Co., and all druggists. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

New line of wall paper at D. M. Clark & Co. tf

A spring blessing for all mankind. There's nothing like Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea to make one strong, healthy and robust. Keeps the whole family well. 35 cents, tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn & Co.

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## STATEMENT OF THE EXPENSES

For the Past Three Years in the Administration of Affairs of St. Joseph's Hospital

## WHAT GOOD SISTERS ARE DOING

There Have Been Seventy-nine Deaths in Three Years--Three Hundred Forty Operations

The Sisters of St. Benedict, who have charge of the administration of the affairs of St. Joseph's hospital in this city, have just prepared a very interesting statement and it may be of interest to their many friends to know the business standing during the past three years since the opening of the hospital.

Cost of building and grounds, \$39,295.22.

Present debt is \$35,000, on which St. Joseph's pays \$1,750 interest annually. Balance due from patients, \$2,012.30. Patients admitted 1,314. Operations 340. Deaths 79.

Amount collected:

1st year—\$1,816.06.  
2nd year— 998.61.  
3rd year— 871.94.

\$3,686.61.

Rooms commodiously furnished by the following: Elks, Hibernians, Mr. D. M. Clark, Foresters, Kersts. Beautiful Altar donated by Rev. D. W. Lynch.

The charges: In private rooms, \$20, \$17, \$15, \$12, \$10, according to accommodations. Double room \$10; ward \$8.

There has always been great inconvenience in moving very sick patients and the injured, and the lack of an ambulance was deeply felt. Now the hospital has a very fine ambulance to serve in moving patients to and from the depot and from the country, lumber camps, etc.

The Sisters take this occasion to thank their many benefactors and friends who have aided financially and otherwise, and without whose encouragement and assistance the record of St. Joseph's would not have been such a prosperous one. The debt on the hospital is still large, but with the continued support and assistance of friends, they hope to be able to reduce it somewhat each year.

Thanks are rendered to their kind friends for Thanksgiving and Christmas donations.

Celebrated Alaska refrigerators for sale at D. M. Clark & Co. tf

## RAY HORDE IS DEAD

Was Taken West With the Hope That

Change of Climate Would Be Beneficial But Died En Route.

Word was received in the city Saturday evening from Pasadena, Cal., stating that Ray Horde died at that place, and it is supposed that he passed away en route.

About a week ago he left for the west accompanied by his brother, Guy Horde, and it was thought that perhaps the change of climate would be beneficial to him. He had been suffering for sometime with consumption and it is presumed from the telegram that he died at the railroad station at Pasadena.

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Awnings! Awnings! See D. M. Clark & Co. 225tf

It's the little colds that grow into big colds; the big colds that end in consumption and death. Watch the little colds. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup

## MUSIC AND DRAMA.

### THE BURGLAR

In "The Burglar" which is the attraction at the Brainerd opera house to-

night, there will be seen a play that appeals particularly to mothers and children, as well as the sterner sex. One of the principal scenes of this strong play arises out of the sudden appearance of a little tot before the astonished eyes of the burglar busy gathering his plunder to depart, and his senses almost staggered by the little one's exclamation, "Don't be afraid, Mr. Burglar, I won't hurt you," sends a flood of reminiscences coursing through his brain, brings back visions of childhood and happy youth before his first temptation. No play ever written is better calculated to stir up the emotions and moral teachings than Mr. Gus Thomas' celebrated play of "The Burglar." Prices, entire lower floor 75c, balcony 50c and gallery 25c.

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Made Another Man of Him.

He—My first wife married me because I neither smoked, drank nor played cards. She—How did your second wife come to marry you? He—To reform me.—Smart Set.

## A DEAL IN ANTIQUES.

The Way a London Dealer Fooled an American Millionaire.

The ways of the dealer in antiques are too often as dark as those of the heathen Chinese in the poem, and it is very hard to get the best of a really wide-awake member of the trade. A certain dealer in London, having a number of alleged Chippendale chairs for sale, approached a well known nobleman and succeeded in selling the set for \$5,000 to the latter. Later on the purchaser, being informed that the chairs were "faked," wrote to the dealer and demanded his money back.

The wily dealer wrote back a hurt and offended letter to his patron, protesting that his honesty had been impugned, but to show his good faith he would be willing to pay 1,000 guineas to get the chairs back. So it was done, and within a very few hours the nobleman's receipt for that amount was being held under the nose of an American millionaire as proof that the chairs had been bought from that well known collector, Lord ——. Of course the dealer must have his profit, and the American millionaire finally handed over a check for \$12,500 and carried his bargain triumphantly across the Atlantic.—Kansas City Independent.

## DOG WATCHES.

Four Different Theories as to the Origin of the Term.

Four distinct explanations have been given of the origin of the term "dog watch." One, which commends itself as probable in the mouth of a sailor, is that it is really the "dodge" watches, two short watches from 4 to 6 and from 6 to 8, introduced so that the crews may get a continual change of hours of duty and each man have only his fair share in the small hours of the morning.

Others maintain that the dog watches take their title from the fact that they are short and fitful in character, so that the phrase is akin to a dog sleep. Admiral Boys, in a lecture at the United Service Institution in London in 1889, remarked that he believed dog watches are so called because dogs are at times employed on shipboard, as in the army, for keeping watch as scouts or sentinels.

Others connect it with the Scandinavian dagmalstad, a day watch, corrupted into dog.

Theodore Hook wittily explained dog watches to be watches that are curtailed.—London Standard.

## LIKE MAY NOT WED LIKE.

Eldest Sons Not Allowed to Marry Eldest Daughters in Japan.

According to old and established custom in Japan, the eldest child, whether male or female, must under all circumstances abide at and inherit the home. By this means a continuous succession is assured, and the estates cannot pass into the hands of strangers.

From this arrangement it follows of necessity that no eldest child can marry and live with an eldest child of the opposite sex. When an heiress weds, her husband must assume the family name.

A similar custom prevails in certain families among the people of the Basque provinces, in the north of Spain. An eldest son among them is not allowed to marry an eldest daughter if both are firstborn.

In this case, too, the husband of any eldest daughter takes up his residence under his wife's roof and adopts her name, which is thus transmitted to their children.

## A Quaint Species of Crow.

In his subsection on "modifications" of types of birds and animals Sir John Lubbock cites what is newest and most marvelous. He tells us of a particular crow in New Zealand where the male and female differ widely as to the structure of their bills. The male bird has a bill, stout and strong, adapted to cutting and digging into the tree, but he is deficient in that horny pointed tongue which would permit him to pierce the grub and draw it out. The hen bird has, however, an elongated and straight bill, "and when the cock has dug down to the burrow the hen inserts her long bill and draws out the grub, which they divide between them—a very pretty illustration of the wife as a helpmate to the husband."

## Position Well Filled.

Auntie (to little niece, aged seven, who has been left temporarily in charge of brother, aged three)—Well, Effie, dear, I hope you have been quite a mother to him while mammy's been away. Effie—Oh, yes, auntie, dear, I have. I've smacked him three times.—Punch.

## Far Away.

The Brute—What are you thinking of, Mamie?

Mamie—I am dreaming of my youth. The Brute—I thought you had a far-away look in your eyes.—Princeton Tiger.

## A Guarded Admission.

"You would be glad enough to marry me if I had plenty of money!" exclaimed the impecunious young man, preparing to go.

"No," she said, with a dreamy sigh. "I should hate awfully to have to marry you, but if I had plenty of money I might."—Chicago Tribune.

## Pedigree.

"Pedigree in a dog makes him valuable, doesn't it?"

"Certainly."

"Funny, isn't it?"

"What's funny?"

"Why, it's my experience that pedigree makes a man pretty darn worthless."—Chicago Post.

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in Crow Wing county, section 13, town 44, range 31, 80 acres of good soil, 60 acres under cultivation, 20 acres pasture all fenced up, house, granary, barn and other small buildings, and all the machinery to cultivate the land; 15 head of cattle and team of horses, wagon, buggy, sled and many other things, 4 miles south from Brainerd, Minnesota, good road and on a town line. I am willing to sell the whole thing for a reasonable price. Please come and see me.

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### LAKE BAIKAL RAILROAD.

Earthquake Necessitates Removal of Rails From Ice.

Paris, April 4.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Matin reports an interview with Prince Khilkoff, head of the Russian military railroad communications, who arrived there from Lake Baikal Sunday, in the course of which the prince said that Lake Baikal was situated in a volcanic region. While he was there an earthquake made the ice rock like a stormy sea. Prince Khilkoff has already ordered the removal of the railway line from the ice. The railway around the lake is already finished from Kilk. The remaining sixty miles to Irkutsk will not be ready before August.

The prince said the question of the safety of the Transsiberian railway was causing no anxiety. The road was guarded by armed sentries, especially in the vicinity of the big bridges.

### Princess Edward Dead.

London, April 4.—Princess Edward of Saxe-Weimar died here Sunday of acute pneumonia. Princess Edward of Saxe-Weimar was Lady Augusta Catherine Gordon-Lennox, and was morganatically married to Prince Edward in 1851.

### TO SAVE INNOCENT MEN.

Car Barn Bandit Confesses to a Murder in Chicago.

Chicago, April 4.—Almost within the coils of the hangman's rope, Peter Neidermeier, one of the car barn bandits, Sunday made what he declared was a true confession to save two other men from the gallows and one from long imprisonment in the penitentiary.

"I killed Patrick Barrett in his saloon at 4216 Wallace street last May," said Neidermeier. "John Lynch and James Sammons, who are under sentence of death for the crime, and also Hugh Reilly, who has been sentenced to the penitentiary, are innocent. They had nothing to do with the raid. I shot and killed Barrett. I make this statement solely to save innocent men. I have no hope for life, and I do not want innocent persons to suffer for what I have done."

### DANGER ABOUT ENDED.

No Further Fear of Damage From Floods in Ohio.

Celina, O., April 4.—There is now no further apprehension of either the east or the west bank of Lake Mercer breaking unless another heavy rain comes in the near future.

A large force of men continued working on the east bank all day, strengthening it with brush, logs, sand bags and rocks, but a slight wind rose from the southeast, relieving the weakened places.

### EXPLOSION IN IOWA BANK.

Three Persons Killed and Several Others Injured.

Marshalltown, Ia., April 4.—An explosion in the Citizens National bank building at Albion Sunday morning caused three deaths and injured several other persons. The dead are: R. Ramsey, Edward Dougherty and Richard Grimes.

The cause of the explosion is unknown, but it is supposed it originated in the heating plant. Besides the bank building a clothing store and two grocery stores were destroyed by fire. The loss is \$75,000.

### CONSIDERABLY IMPROVED.

Flood Situation in Indiana Changes for the Better.

Indianapolis, April 4.—The flood situation throughout Indiana has improved considerably during the past twenty-four hours. Dispatches from all towns menaced by the high waters during the past two weeks indicate that there is no danger of further damage. All rivers but the Ohio are steadily falling.

It is believed that A. A. Cunningham and William Lockman have been drowned near Vincennes.

### TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Postmaster General Payne's condition has improved sufficiently to permit him to leave his room.

Senator Allison of Iowa was very much better Sunday. He received a number of his colleagues in the senate.

Young Corbett of Denver was given the decision over Tommy Mowatt at the end of their six-round bout at Chicago Saturday night.

C. Stacker Williams, one of the most widely known Free Masons in the United States, died Sunday at Washington Courthouse, O.

Dutch troops engaged a body of Achinese in Northern Sumatra and killed 561. Three Dutchmen were killed and twenty-five wounded.

Michael Egan of Jersey City Sunday won the handball championship of the world by defeating James Fitzgerald of San Francisco in the second series of games.

Delos S. Mills, the oldest traveling man in the United States, is dying at Racine, Wis. He is suffering from internal injuries and fractured ribs, the result of a fall.

### MARKET QUOTATIONS.

Minneapolis Wheat.

Minneapolis, April 2.—Wheat—May, 97½¢; July, 97½¢; Sept., 83½¢. On track—No. 1 hard, 99½¢; No. 1 Northern, 98½¢; No. 2 Northern, 96½¢.

St. Paul Union Stock Yards.

St. Paul, April 2.—Cattle—Good to choice steers, \$4.90@5.00; common to fair, \$3.25@3.85; good to choice cows and heifers, \$3.00@3.50; veals, \$2.50@4.25. Hogs—\$4.90@5.25. Sheep—Good to choice yearling wethers, \$4.50@5.00; good to choice lambs, \$5.00@5.50.

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, April 2.—Wheat—In store—No. 1 hard, 98½¢; No. 1 Northern, 96½¢; No. 2 Northern, 94½¢. To arrive—No. 1 hard, 98½¢; No. 1 Northern, 96½¢; No. 2 Northern, 94½¢. May, 96½¢; July, 97¢; Sept., 83½¢. Flax—In store, on track and to arrive, \$1.15½¢; May, \$1.16½¢; July, \$1.17½¢; Oct., \$1.19.

Chicago Union Stock Yards.

Chicago, April 2.—Cattle—Good to prime steers, \$5.25@5.80; poor to medium, \$3.50@4.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50@4.25; cows, \$1.75@4.25; heifers, \$2.00@4.50; calves, \$2.50@5.50. Hogs—Mixed and butchers, \$5.20@5.40; good to choice heavy, \$5.30@5.45; rough heavy, \$5.15@5.30; light, \$5.10@5.30. Sheep—Good to choice wethers, \$4.75@5.40; Western sheep, \$4.50@5.40; native lambs, \$4.60@5.90; Western, \$4.75@5.90.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, April 2.—Wheat—May, 96½¢; July, 87½¢; old, 89½¢; Sept., 81½¢@82¢; old, 83½¢@84½¢. Corn—April, 55½¢; May, 57¢; July, 53½¢; Sept., 52½¢. Oats—May, 41½¢; July, 39½¢; Sept., 33½¢. Pork—May, \$13.20; July, \$13.52½¢. Flax—Cash, Northwestern, \$1.18; Northwestern, \$1.09; May, \$1.11. Butter—Creameries, 14¢@24¢; dairies, 12¢@21¢. Eggs—16¢@16½¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 12¢; chickens, 13¢.

### LARGE TRACT ADDED

OVER A MILLION ACRES OF LAND SUBJECT TO HOMESTEAD LAWS OF MINNESOTA.

Duluth, April 4.—One million four hundred thousand acres of land, an area almost twice that of the state of Rhode Island, have been added to the acreage subject to homestead laws in the state of Minnesota. This represents the work that has just been completed by E. L. Warren, chief government examiner, who has been acting under the provisions of the Morris law. His crew of men carefully went over and reported on each separate forty of 1,632,588 acres of land, including 232,160 acres held as forest reserve. Timber on these lands amounts to several hundred million feet. As soon as the necessary arrangements can be perfected and the six months' advertisement given, the pine will be disposed of to the highest bidder in a manner similar to that at the sales held under the Morris law at Cass Lake last December. The cost of the estimating, which was borne by the Indians, was \$29,386.

### FILIPINO STRIKE AVERTED.

Head Hunters at St. Louis Will Be Fed on Dog Meat.

St. Louis, April 4.—Beginning on April Fool's day, all stray dogs in St. Louis will be served daily to